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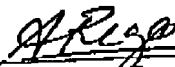
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Application No.: 10/681,666Examiner: Edward H. TsoFirst Named Applicant: Kevin I. BertnessArt Unit: 2838

Status of Application: pending

Tentative Participants:

(1) Alan G. Rego (2)

(3) (4)

Proposed Date of Interview: Any day after
4/23/07

Proposed Time: 9am - 6pm (EST)

Type of Interview Requested:

(1) ☒ Telephonic(2) ☐ Personal(3) ☐ Video ConferenceExhibit To Be Shown or Demonstrated: ☐ YES☒ NO

If yes, provide brief description:

Issues To Be Discussed

Issues (Rej., Obj., etc.)	Claims/ Fig. #s	Prior Art	Discussed	Agreed	Not Agreed
(1) Rej.	1-27	Vinci, U.S. Patent No. 5,672,964			
(2)		Bertness, U.S. Patent No. 6,316,914			
(3)					
(4)					

☐ Continuation Sheet Attached

Brief Description of Arguments to be Presented:

The rejection of claims 1-27 based on Bertness in view of Vinci.

An interview was conducted on the above-identified application on:

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(Applicant/Applicant's Representative Signature)

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